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#### REPUBLIC OF KENYA

#### <u>TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – (FIFTH SESSION)</u>

#### THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2021 AT 2.30 P.M.

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

#### **PRAYERS**

- 1. Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions
- 5. Papers
- **6.** Notices of Motion
- 7. Questions and Statements

#### 8\*. PROCEDURAL MOTION-

#### RESOLUTION TO HOLD A MORNING SITTING ON A SPECIFIED THURSDAY

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 30(3)(b), this House resolves to hold a **Morning** Sitting on **Thursday, December 2, 2021** commencing at 9.30 am for purposes of considering priority Business ahead of the December recess.

# 9\*. MOTION – REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE COMMUNITY GROUPS REGISTRATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 20 OF 2021)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

**THAT,** this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the Community Groups Registration Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 20 of 2021).

(Question to be put and Third Reading)

## 10\*. MOTION - REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE LANDLORD AND TENANT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 3 OF 2021)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

**THAT,** this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the Landlord and Tenant Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2021).

(Question to be put and Third Reading)

# 11\*. MOTION - REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 34 OF 2019)

(The Hon. Millie Odhiambo Mabona, M.P.)

**THAT,** this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the Assisted Reproductive Technology Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 34 of 2019).

(Question to be put and Third Reading)

# 12\*. MOTION - REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE KENYA DEPOSIT INSURANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 43 OF 2020)

(The Hon. Abdul Rahim Dawood, M.P.)

**THAT,** this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the Kenya Deposit Insurance (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 43 of 2020).

(Question to be put and Third Reading)

## 13\*. <u>THE PROVIDENT FUND (REPEAL) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 30 OF 2021)</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

(Question to be put)

## 14\*. THE HIGHER EDUCATION LOANS BOARD (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 52 OF 2021)

(The Hon. Gideon Koske, M.P.)

First Reading

## 15\*. MOTION - APPROVAL OF NOMINEES TO THE KIAMBAA CONSTITUENCY COMMITTEE

(The Chairperson, Select Committee on the National Government Constituencies Development Fund)

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of section 43(4) of the National Government Constituency Development Fund Act, 2015 and paragraphs 5(2) and (10) of the National Government Constituencies Development Fund Regulations, 2016, this House **approves** the list of nominees for appointment to the **Kiambaa Constituency Committee** of the National Government Constituency Development Fund, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, November 11, 2021* as follows –

#### **KIAMBAA CONSTITUENCY**

NO.	NAME		CATEGORY	STATUTORY PROVISION FOR ASSUMPTION OF POSITION
1.	George Wambui	Muiruri	Male Youth Representative	Fresh appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(b)
2.	Geoffrey Mukora	Ndigi	Male Adult Representative	Re-appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(b)
3.	Isabell Kinyanjui	Murugi	Female Youth Representative	Fresh appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(c)
4.	Elizabeth Gitau	Wambui	Female Adult Representative	Re-appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(c)
5.	Anne Kariuki	Nduta	Representative of Persons with Disability	Re-appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(d)
6.	Jackson Kinyanjui	Mbugwa	Nominee of the Constituency Office (Male)	Fresh appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(e)
7.	Rose Nganga	Wanjiku	Nominee of the Constituency Office (Female)	Fresh appointment, pursuant to Sec.43(2)(e)

#### 16\*. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

The Referendum (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2020) (The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

## 17\*.THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) (No.3) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 39 OF 2020)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Second Reading

### 18\*. THE KENYA ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 13 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

Second Reading

## 19\*. THE ADVOCATES (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 43 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Second Reading

### 20\*. MOTION - ESTABLISHMENT OF A PARLIAMENTARY HEALTH SERVICES UNIT

(The Chairperson, Committee on Members' Services and Facilities)

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Report of the Select Committee on Members' Services and Facilities on Establishment of a Parliamentary Health Services Unit, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, August 11, 2021*.

## 21\*. MOTION - THIRD REPORT ON IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF INQUIRIES, PETITIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE HOUSE

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation)

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Third Report of the Committee on Implementation on its consideration of the Submissions from stakeholders regarding Implementation Status of Inquiries, Petitions and Resolutions passed by the House, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, September 28, 2021.* 

### 22\*. MOTION - STUDY VISIT TO THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA, CANADA

(The Chairperson, Committee on Members' Services and Facilities)

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Report of the Committee on Members' Services and Facilities on a Study Visit to the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, Canada undertaken from 14th to 18th October 2020, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, December 1, 2020.* 

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## 23\*. THE NATIONAL COHESION AND PEACE BUILDING BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 35 OF 2018)

(The Chairperson, Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

Second Reading

## 24\*. MOTION - ROLL-OUT OF COVID-19 ECONOMIC STIMULUS PROGRAMME (Party-Sponsored Motion)

(The Hon. Abdullswamad Nassir, M.P.)

**THAT, aware** that the COVID-19 Pandemic continues to devastate the Kenyan economy as exemplified by its staggering effects on economic growth that have led to massive losses of jobs and unprecedented layoffs, an underperforming financial market, distortion of monetary and fiscal policies, instability of the Kenyan shilling, fluctuating global trade, and general strain on medical facilities countrywide; concerned that reports from the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics reveal a substantial decline in the number of employed Kenyans as well as reduced employment opportunities; deeply concerned that the frequent lockdowns instituted by the Executive with the objective of countering the spread of the pandemic are a key cause of the underperforming economy despite the noble intention behind their implementation; further aware that the current unprecedented challenges call for extraordinary but necessary solutions, this House urges the National Government to roll out a COVID-19 Economic Stimulus Programme that incorporates an enhanced Kazi Mtaani concept in urban areas and a new Kazi Mashambani concept in rural areas, enhances Cash Transfer Packages to the elderly, orphans, the vulnerable and the destitute, eliminates all forms of lockdowns, curfews and travel restrictions and replaces them with less stringent yet equally effective and economy-friendly containment measures including provision of Personal Protective Equipment and sanitization protocols, and rolls out a mass vaccination campaign that includes restriction of access to work premises by non-vaccinated employees, among other similarly effective interventions to stimulate economic recovery and national growth.

### 25\*. THE POVERTY ERADICATION AUTHORITY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 13 OF 2020)

(The Hon. John Waluke, M.P.)

Second Reading

## 26\*. THE INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL WORK PROFESSIONALS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 31 OF 2020)

(The Hon. Joshua Kimilu, M.P.)

Second Reading

## 27\*. THE HIGHER EDUCATION LOANS BOARD (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 37 OF 2020)

(The Hon. John Mwirigi, M.P.)

Second Reading

* Denotes Orders of the Day

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#### NOTICES

## I. THE REFERENDUM (NO.2) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 14 OF 2020)

1) Notice is given that the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs intends to move the following amendments to the Referendum (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2020) at the Committee Stage—

#### CLAUSE 2

**THAT,** the Bill be amended in Clause 2 by deleting the definition of the expression "Cabinet Secretary."

#### CLAUSE 3

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 3 and substituting therefor the following new Clause –

Application of the Elections Act No. 24 of 2011 to a referendum **3**. Except as may be otherwise provided in this Act, the provisions of the Elections Act and the regulations made thereunder shall apply, with necessary modifications, as if a referendum were a general election.

#### CLAUSE 5

**THAT** clause 5 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (1) by deleting the all the words appearing immediately after the expression "registered voters";
- (b) in sub-clause (3) by-
  - (i) deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph-
    - (a) within thirty days verify that the initiative is supported by at least one million registered voters"
  - (ii) deleting the words "after the date it was submitted by the Commission" appearing in paragraph (c);
  - (c) by deleting sub-clause (8) and substituting therefor the following new sub-clause-
    - (8) If either House of Parliament fails to pass the Bill, or the Bill relates to a matter specified in Article 255(1) of the Constitution, the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the people in a referendum.
  - (d) by deleting the expression "for" appearing in sub-clause (10).

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 7.

#### CLAUSE 8

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 8.

#### **CLAUSE 9**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 9 and substituting therefor the following new Clause-

Framing of referendum question

9. Where the Commission—

- (a) receives a notification from the President under Article 256 (5)(a) of the Constitution; or
- (b) a draft Bill from the promoters of a popular initiative under Article 257 of the Constitution,

the Commission shall, within twenty one days, frame the question to be determined during the referendum.

#### **CLAUSE 10**

**THAT** clause 10 of the Bill be amended-

- (a) in sub-clause (1) by deleting the words "or option" appearing immediately after the word "question";
- (b) in sub-clause (2) by-
  - (i) deleting the words "questions or option and the answer or answers" appearing in paragraph (b);
  - (ii) deleting the words "which shall be at least ninety days from the date of the publication of the notice" appearing in paragraph (d);
  - (iii) deleting paragraph (e);
  - (iv) deleting the words "or option" appearing in paragraph (g).

#### **CLAUSE 11**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 11.

#### **CLAUSE 12**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 12.

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 13.

#### CLAUSE 14

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause14.

#### CLAUSE 16

THAT the Bill be amended-

- (a) by deleting sub clause (2) and substituting therefor the following new sub clause—
- "(2) A petition—
- (a) to question the validity of the referendum; or
- (b) to seek a declaration concerning any matter relating to

the referendum,

shall be filed within fourteen days after the date of the declaration of the results.

(b) by deleting the words "six months" appearing in sub clause (3) and substituting therefor the words "thirty days"

#### **CLAUSE 17**

**THAT** clause 17 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (2) by deleting paragraph (d);
- (b) by deleting sub-clause (3) and substituting therefor the following new sub-clause—
  - (3) A referendum petition shall be heard in open court.
- (c) by inserting the following new sub-clauses immediately after sub-clause (3)—
  - (4) The High Court may, with respect to the hearing of a referendum petition, exercise such powers within its civil jurisdiction as it may deem appropriate.
  - (5) A referendum petition may be withdrawn by the petitioner on notice to the other parties and the High Court, subject to any order of the Court as to costs.

#### **NEW CLAUSE**

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 17—

Signing of a referendum petition.

**17 A.** A referendum petition shall be signed by the petitioner or by all the petitioners, if more than one.

**THAT,** clause 18 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting sub-clause (1) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
  - (1) A referendum petition may be presented in the High Court by a person who voted at the referendum or had a right to vote at the referendum.
- (b) in sub-clause (3) by deleting the words "A petitioner" and substituting therefor the words "The Commission";

#### **CLAUSE 19**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 19.

#### **CLAUSE 20**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 20.

#### **CLAUSE 21**

**THAT** clause 21 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2) by —

- (a) deleting the words "thirty days" appearing in paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the words "seven days";
- (b) deleting the words "six months" appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the words "twenty-one days."

#### CLAUSE 22

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 22 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Operation of declared result.

- **22.** (1) The Commission shall publish the result of the referendum in the Gazette within one day of the holding of the referendum.
- (2) If no petition is filed challenging the conduct or result of the referendum within the time limit for making such petitions, the result of the referendum shall be final upon the expiry of that time limit.
- (3) Where a petition is filed challenging the conduct or result of the referendum within the time limit for making such petitions, the result of the referendum shall not be final until such petitions are finally disposed of.
- (4) The Commission shall, consequent upon the results of the referendum becoming final, by notice in the Gazette confirm the results as the final results of the referendum.

**THAT** clause 23 of the Bill be amended by deleting sub-clause (2).

#### CLAUSE 25

**THAT** clause 25 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting the words "two or more" appearing in sub-clause (1) and substituting therefor the words "more than one".
- (b) by deleting the words "under subsection (1)" appearing in clause (2).

#### **NEW CLAUSE**

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 25—

Joinder of interested parties.

- **25 A.** (1) A court hearing a referendum petition may, upon application allow, the joinder of amicus curiae and other interested parties.
- (2) The Court shall before allowing the joinder of amicus curiae or other interested parties, take into consideration the public interest, the expertise, independence and impartiality of the person in question or any other relevant factors.

#### **CLAUSE 30**

**THAT** clause 30 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting sub clause (2);
- (b) by deleting sub clause (3);
- (c) by deleting sub clause (4);
- (d) by deleting sub clause (5);

#### **CLAUSE 31**

**THAT** clause 31 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (3) be deleting the words "which may be made upon motion after notice and proof that all just claims have been satisfied or otherwise sufficiently provided for as the High Court may require" appearing immediately after the word "the High Court." where it first appears.

#### CLAUSE 32

**THAT** clause 32 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (2) be deleting the word "report" appearing immediately before the words "Upon receipt of" and substituting therefor the word "judgement".

#### **CLAUSE 40**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 40.

#### CLAUSE 68

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 68.

#### **CLAUSE 71**

**THAT** the Bill be amended by deleting clause 71.

2) Notice is given that the Member for Tharaka (Hon. George Murugara) intends to move the following amendments to the Referendum (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2020) at the Committee Stage—

#### CLAUSE 2

**THAT,** clause 2 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new definitions in their proper alphabetical sequence—

"popular initiative" means a proposal to amend the Constitution initiated by a group of voters which is supported by at least one million registered voters which may be in the form of general suggestion or a formulated draft Bill in accordance with Article 257 of the Constitution;

"parliamentary initiative" means a proposal to amend the Constitution initiated in Parliament by a member of Parliament, committee, leader of the majority party, leader of the minority party, or a political party in accordance with Article 256 of the Constitution;

"multi-option referendum" means a referendum where a voter is presented with multiple alternative proposals through multiple questions in which he or she may approve or reject each proposal separately"

#### **CLAUSE 5**

**THAT,** clause 5 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (3), by inserting the words "within ninety days" immediately before the words "verify" in paragraph (a);
- (b) by inserting the following new sub-clause immediately after sub-clause (3)—
  - "(3A) Where a popular initiative is in the form of a general suggestion, the promoters of that popular initiative may seek the advice of the Attorney General or Parliament in formulating it into a draft Bill."
- (c) by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 5—

Procedure in county assembly.

- **5A.** (1) Upon receipt of a Bill submitted to a county assembly, the county assembly shall, by notice in the Gazette and in two newspapers of national or county wide circulation, notify the public of the contents of the Bill.
- (2) The notification in subsection (1) shall contain all relevant details including—
  - (a) a summary of the proposed amendments to the Constitution;
  - (b) the timelines within which the public may submit views on the Bill; and

- (c) the timelines within which the county assembly shall consider the Bill.
- (3) If a county assembly approves the draft Bill within three months after the date on which it was submitted by the Commission, the Speaker of the county assembly shall within seven days of approval, deliver a copy of the draft Bill jointly to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament, with a certificate that the county assembly has approved it.
- (4) The Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament may designate officers to whom the speaker of a county assembly shall deliver a copy of the draft Bill jointly.
- (5) A draft Bill referred to a county assembly under Article 257(5) of the Constitution shall be introduced for consideration by the county assembly by the chairperson of the relevant committee as a motion in the County Assembly.
- (6) Where a motion under subsection (5) is introduced in the county assembly, the motion shall be debated and determined by the county assembly within three months after the date on which it was received at the county assembly.
- (7) The threshold for voting in a county assembly in respect of a draft Bill shall be a majority of the members of the county assembly present and voting.
- (8) A county assembly shall not amend the draft Bill under its consideration.
- (9) Where a county assembly fails to obtain a simple majority, the draft Bill shall fail and the Speaker of a county assembly shall communicate the decision of the county assembly, in writing to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament.
- (10) Where a draft Bill has been approved by twenty-four county assemblies the Bill shall be introduced in the two Houses of Parliament within fourteen days of such approval.
- (11) Where a county assembly fails to consider a draft Bill under this section, the draft Bill shall fail and the Speaker of a county assembly shall communicate the decision, in writing to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament.
- (12) Where a Bill is referred to Parliament under Article 257(7) of the Constitution, the Bill shall be introduced in Parliament by the chairperson of the relevant committee of each House of Parliament.

**THAT,** clause 8 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (1) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (b)—

"(ba) multi-option referendum, where necessary;"

**THAT,** clause 40 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2) by inserting the words ", including multi-option referendum" immediately after the word "generally" in paragraph (c).

3) Notice is given that the Member for Nakuru Town East (Hon. David Gikaria) intends to move the following amendments to the Referendum (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2020) at the Committee Stage—

#### **CLAUSE 7**

**THAT,** clause 7(2) of the Bill be amended by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraphs—

- (a) county laws except financial legislation;
- (aa) county petitions.

#### **CLAUSE 16**

**THAT,** clause 16 of the Bill be deleted.

#### **CLAUSE 17**

**THAT,** clause 17 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new subclause immediately after sub-clause (3)—

- (4) A referendum petition shall be heard and determined within six months of the date of lodging the Petition.
- 4) Notice is given that the Member for Kikuyu Town (Hon. Kimani Ichung'wah) intends to move the following amendments to the Referendum (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2020) at the Committee Stage—

#### **CLAUSE 9**

**THAT** Clause 9 of the Bill be amended —

- (a) in subsection (2) by deleting the words "the relevant House" and substituting therefor the words "both Houses of Parliament";
- (b) in subsection (3) by deleting the words "the relevant House" and substituting therefor the word "Parliament";
- (c) in subsection (4) by deleting the words "the House" and substituting therefor the word "Parliament";
- (d) in subsection (5) by deleting the words "the relevant House" and substituting therefor the word "Parliament";
- (e) in subsection (6) by deleting the words "the relevant House" and substituting therefor the words "both Houses of Parliament";
- (f) by deleting subsection (7) and substituting therefor the following new subsection—
  - (7) If Parliament approves the question or option or fails to approve the question or option submitted under subsection (6), both Speakers of Parliament shall, within seven days, notify the Commission of the decision of Parliament and the provisions under subsections (5) and (6) shall apply.

(g) in subsection (8) by deleting the words "the relevant House" and substituting therefor the word "Parliament".

#### **NEW CLAUSE**

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 6—

Procedure in a county assembly.

- **6A.** (1) Upon receipt of a Bill submitted to a county assembly, the county assembly shall notify the public of the Bill by notice in the Gazette and in two newspapers of national circulation.
- (2) The notification in subsection (1) shall contain all relevant details including—
  - (a) a summary of the proposed amendments to the Constitution;
  - (b) the timelines within which the public may submit views on the Bill; and
  - (c) the timelines within which the county assembly shall consider the Bill.
- (3) If a county assembly approves the draft Bill within three months after the date it was submitted by the Commission, the speaker of the county assembly shall within fourteen days of approving the draft Bill, delivera copy of the draft Bill jointly to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament, with a certificate that the county assembly has approved it.
- (4) The Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament may designate officers to whom the speaker of a county assembly shall deliver a copy of the draft Bill jointly.
- (5) A draft Bill referred to a county assembly under Article 257(5) of the Constitution shall be introduced for consideration by the county assembly by the chairperson of the relevant committee as a motion.
- (6) The motion shall be debated and approved or rejected by a county assembly within three months after the date it was submitted by the Commission.
- (7) The threshold for voting in a county assembly in respect of a draft Bill shall be a majority of the members of the county assembly.
- (8) A county assembly shall not amend the draft Bill under its consideration.

- (9) Where a county assembly fails to obtain a simple majority, the draft Bill shall fail and the Speaker of a county assembly shall within fourteen days of such failure communicate to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament, the failure to obtain a simple majority in writing.
- (10) If a draft Bill has been approved by twenty four county assemblies it shall be introduced in the two Houses of Parliament within fourteen days of such approval.
- (11) Where a county assembly fails to consider a draft Bill under this section, the draft Bill shall fail and the Speaker of a county assembly shall within fourteen days of such failure communicate to the Speakers of the two Houses of Parliament the failure to consider the draft Bill in writing.
- (12) A Bill referred to Parliament under Article 257(7) of the Constitution shall be introduced in Parliament by the chairperson of the relevant committee of each House of Parliament.

#### **LIMITATION OF DEBATE**

The House resolved on Wednesday, February 10, 2021 as follows-

#### Limitation of Debate on Bills sponsored by Parties or Committees

**II.** THAT, each speech in a debate on Bills sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party shall be limited as follows:- A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and fifteen minutes (15) in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by the relevant Committee), and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen Minutes (15) each (if the Bill is not sponsored by either of them); and **THAT** priority in speaking shall be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in **THAT** order.

#### <u>Limitation of Debate on Motions</u>

THAT, each speech in a debate on any Motion, including a Special motion shall be limited in the following manner:- A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and THAT ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and THAT priority in speaking shall be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in THAT order.

#### Limitation of Debate on Committee Reports

THAT, each speech in a debate on Committee Reports (except for Reports of Audit Committees), including a Report of a Joint Committee of the Houses of Parliament or any other Report submitted to the House for which limitation of time has not been specified, shall be limited as follows:- A maximum of two and a half hours, with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover in moving and five (5) minutes for any other Member speaking, including the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Committee Report is not moved by the Chairperson of the relevant Committee), and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and further THAT priority in speaking shall be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in THAT order.

#### Limitation of Debate on Individual Members' Bills

V. THAT, each speech in a debate on Bills NOT sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party shall be limited as follows:- A maximum of three hours and thirty minutes, with not more than thirty (30) minutes for the Mover, in moving and ten (10) minutes in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen Minutes (15) each; and THAT priority in speaking shall be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in THAT order.

### **NOTICE PAPER**

#### <u>Tentative</u> business for **Tuesday, November 30, 2021**

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 38(1))

It is notified that the House Business Committee has approved the following <u>tentative</u> business to appear in the Order Paper for Tuesday, November 30, 2021-

#### **STATE OF THE NATION ADDRESS**

(Joint Sitting of the Houses of Parliament)

...../Appendix\*

### **APPENDIX**

## NOTICE OF PETITIONS, QUESTIONS & STATEMENTS

#### **ORDER NO.4 - PETITIONS**

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 225, the following Petitions will be presented -

No.	Subject	Petitioner(s)	Relevant Committee
071/2021	Encroachment of school land in Changamwe Constituency	To be presented by the Hon. Omar Mwinyi, MP (Changamwe) on behalf of Boards of Management, parents and students of Changamwe Primary School, Changamwe Secondary School & Changamwe Girls Secondary School	D.C. on Lands
072/2021	Enforcement of Maritime Labour Convention, 2006	To be presented by the Hon. Ali Menza, MP (Kisauni) on behalf of Seafarers in the Republic of Kenya	D.C. on Transport, Public Works and Housing

#### **ORDER NO.7 - QUESTIONS**

It is notified that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 42A (5), the following Members will ask **questions** for reply before the specified Committees-

#### QUE. NO.

#### **ORDINARY QUESTIONS**

486/2021 The Member for Trans Nzoia County (Hon. Janet Nangabo, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Education: -

Are there plans to establish a public university in *Trans Nzoia* County as provided for by the Universities Act, 2012 requiring every county to have at least one public university?

(To be relied before the Departmental Committee on Education and Research)

## The Member for Mwea (Hon. Kabinga Wachira, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Energy: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the implementation status report for the *Last Mile Connectivity Programme* in Mwea Constituency for the Financial Years 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021?
- (ii) Could the Cabinet Secretary indicate when the Ministry plans to connect electric power to the home of one *Mr. Cange Gitutu of ID No. 3409263* of *Kathiga* location, who paid a Kshs. 35,000 connection fee on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2011 vide quotation Ref. No. *E25202011080153?*
- (iii) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the measures put in place to install transformers and complete the electricity projects serving Kiamaciri Full Gospel Church and residents of Kimuri in Murinduko ward, Kagumo, Kayuyu, Mbambaini in Gathigiriri ward, Mbinguini, and Nderwa villages?
- (iv) When will the Ministry connect electric power to serve users and residents of *Mbambaini* in *Tebere* ward, *Mocangondi*, *Ndaba*, *Kibukure*, *Carlifornia*, *Kiarigi* and *Gatitika* villages in Mwea Constituency?
- (v) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the timelines within which the stalled electrification projects in Mwea Constituency that have been surveyed and approved will be implemented?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Energy)

## The Member for Lurambi (Hon. Bishop Titus Khamala, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and Infrastructure, Housing, Urban Development and Public Works: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide a progress report regarding the construction of the *Lurambi Navakholo* Road (C41) in Lurambi Constituency, which stalled in April 2021?
- (ii) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain why the contractor abandoned the project in April 2021 and, indicate the action to be taken against the said contractor for failure to meet his contractual obligations including blacklisting him from being awarded other tenders in the region?
- (iii) Could the Cabinet Secretary avail details of the new contractor including name, address and nationality?
- (iv) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the measures that the Ministry has put in place to ensure speedy completion of the said project to the set standards and state the expected completion timelines?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

## The Member for Ikolomani (Hon. Benard Shinali, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Petroleum and Mining: -

When will the Government issue a lease to an investor towards the establishment of a gold refinery in Ikolomani Constituency in regards to the lease applications requested by the Ministry on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021 for the land parcels, *LR Numbers Kakamega/Iguhu/2658* and Kakamega/Iguhu/2659, considering that the County Government of Kakamega has since written a letter of no objection to the establishment of the refinery as required by Section 36(2)(d) of the Mining Act, 2016?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources)

## The Member for Central Imenti (Hon. Moses Kirima, MP) to ask the Chairperson of the Teachers Service Commission:

(i) Could the Chairperson provide a report on the current staffing levels for teachers in each primary and secondary school in Imenti Central Constituency in terms of the numbers in post *visà-vis* the authorized establishment?

- (ii) Could Chairperson provide a list of teachers recruited from 2017 to date for both primary and secondary schools in Imenti Central Constituency?
- (iii) Could the Commission consider employing local teachers to teach in local schools to address the concern that once nonlocals secure employment in the area, they soon thereafter seek transfers to other preferred regions?

(Question for Written Reply by the Teachers Service Commission)

## The Nominated Member (Hon. (Prof), Jacqueline Oduol, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Education: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary indicate whether the Ministry has carried out any investigation(s) into the circumstances which have occasioned the cases of destruction of school properties, in particular, burning of dormitories and if so, what were the findings of the investigations?
- (ii) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the correlation between very high budgetary projections for re-construction of property destroyed during the schools' unrest as instituted by the administration of schools and the amount charged per student?
- (iii) What steps is the Ministry taking to ensure the safety of all learners in public schools given that in many cases, students in the affected public schools leave the said institutions without the authority from the administration?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Education and Research)

## The Member for Embakasi West (Hon. George Theuri, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and Coordination of National Government: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain measures put in place by the Ministry to ensure security of relatives or next of kin of victims of convicted and suspected criminals who escape from remand and/or prisons considering the increased cases of escape of the said suspects and/or convicts, for instance the alleged child serial killer, *Mr. Masten Wanjala*, who escaped from *Jogoo Road* Police Station under unclear circumstances?
- (ii) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the action taken against police officers responsible for aiding the suspects or convicts to escape from police stations cells, remand and prisons?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

## The Member for Kasipul (Hon. Ong'ondo Were, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Energy: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the cause(s) of persistent power blackouts and power surges in *Oyugis Town* in Kasipul Constituency that have led to massive losses for the business community and damages to household electronic devices?
- (ii) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain when the street lighting projects under the Last Mile Connectivity programme on the following roads in Oyugis Town and its environs are expected to be completed; Oyugis Kosele, Number Karabok Kawere Market, Oyugis Sikri town, Oyugis Kwoyo, Oyugis Manyoro Market, Oyugis Nyang'iela Dol and Ombek Markets, Oyugis Gamba, and Oyugis Rodi Kakuom and Ruga Markets in Oyugis Town?
- (iii) Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the status report for the Last Mile Connectivity Programme in Kasipul Constituency?
- (iv) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the status of electric power connectivity to schools and learning institutions in Kasipul Constituency?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Energy)

## The Member for Langata (Hon. Nixon Korir, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Housing, Urban Development & Public Works: -

- (i) Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the stalling of the construction of the following markets in Langata Constituency; Karen Market, Talent Market in Mugumuini Ward and South C Markets?
- (ii) What measures have been put in place to ensure that the said projects are completed, and could the Cabinet Secretary provide the expected completion timelines?

(To be replied before the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

#### **ORDER NO.7 - STATEMENTS**

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c) the following Statements will be -

(i) <u>requested</u> -

financial fraudsters

No.	Subject	Member	Chairperson	
1.	Power interruption at the Baricho Water Works	The Hon. Owen Baya, MP (Kilifi North)	D.C. on Environment and Natural Resources	
(ii)	responded to-			
No.	Subject	Member	Chairperson	
1.	Status of the Kenya Transport and Logistics Network (KTLN)	The Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo, MP (Funyula)	Chairperson, D.C. on Finance and National Planning	
2.	Breach of the Statistics Act by the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS)	The Hon. Aden Duale, MP (Garissa Township)	Chairperson, D.C. on Finance and National Planning	
3.	Upsurge of unregulated investment schemes and	The Hon. Munene Wambugu, MP	Chairperson, D.C. on Finance and	

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